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SUBJ: MEDIA REACTION--GUYANA AFTERMATH

1. KOMPAS, INDONESIA'S LARGEST INDEPENDENT DAILY, IN A NOVEMBER 23 EDITORIAL ENTITLED, "TRAGEDY IN GUYANA," DECALRED "THE EVENT IS HORRIFYING", ADDING THAT IT WAS THE RESULT OF PERMITTING "UNLIMITED FREEDOM."

2. WE DO NOT KNOW "WHETHER IT IS A KIND OF ESCAPISM NEEDED BY A HIGHLY (U.S.)) MATERIALISTIC SOCIETY," THE EDITORIAL SAID. OR "WHETHER IT IS A PHENOMENA DERIVED FROM SPRIITUAL POVERTY ..."BUT IN IT" WE CAN SEE HOW UNLIMITED FREEDOM DESTROYS THE VERY FREEDOM THAT IS HUMANITY ITSELF". ENDUSINFO.
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